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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Khairkahan et al.
Appl. No. : 10/033,371
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For : METHOD OF IMPLANTING A
DEVICE IN THE LEFT ATRIAL
APPENDAGE
Examiner : Glenn Dawson
Group Art Unit : 3761

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 14, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.